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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Sir:

It is requested hereby that the term to respond to the Examiner's Action of November 30, 2005 be extended three months, from February 28, 2006 to May 30, 2006.

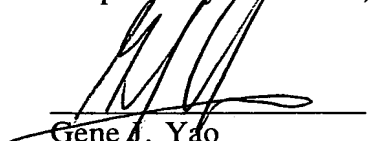
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Respectfully submitted,



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